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In Re U.S. Patent Application

Applicant: Takeshita et al.

Serial No. 09/990,131

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SUBSTRATE AND A NON-MAGNETIC FILM
FORMED THEREON, AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME (As Amended)

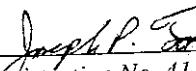
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| () By a small entity (1.9(f))..... | \$ 55.00 |
| (X) By other than a small entity..... | \$ 110.00 |

Extension fee for response within second month:

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| () By a small entity (1.9(f))..... | \$ 210.00 |
| () By other than a small entity..... | \$ 420.00 |

Extension fee for response within third month:

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| () By a small entity (1.9(f))..... | \$ 475.00 |
| () By other than a small entity..... | \$ 950.00 |

Extension fee for response within fourth month:

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| () By a small entity (1.9(f))..... | \$ 740.00 |
| () By other than a small entity..... | \$ 1,480.00 |

Extension fee for response within fifth month:

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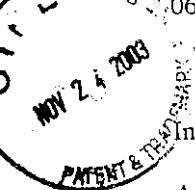
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